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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Hoeg-Jensen et al. Confirmation No.: 1019  
Application No.: 09/870,884 Group Art Unit: 1654  
Filed: May 31, 2001 Examiner: Russel, Jeffrey E.  
For: Glucose Dependent Release of Insulin from Glucose Sensing Insulin Derivatives

**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the second non-final Office Action on the merits mailed August 30, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire November 30, 2006, subject to extensions of time under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).

A petition for a two (2) month extension of time to increase the period for reply from November 30, 2006, to January 30, 2007, is enclosed herewith to permit timely filing of this Amendment/Response.

The examiner states in the Office Action Summary that claims numbered 1-3 and 5-29 are pending in the application; claims numbered 1-3, 5-16, 21-26, 28 and 29 are rejected; claims numbered 17-20 and 27 are objected to. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121, Applicant submits a complete listing of all of the claims ever presented for this pending application, which will replace the preceding claim listing.

Claims numbered 1, 6, 9, 21 and 22 are amended herein.